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REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

In response to the final office action mailed on August 9, 2007 please enter the following amendments to the claims, and reconsider the application in view of these amendments and Applicants' remarks below.

- (1) Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- (2) Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.